

Acca sellowiana (Feijoa sellowiana)

Pineapple Guava

Origin **S America**

A drought tolerant shrub or small tree to 10' or more with attractive gray foliage. White flowers have showy red stamens. The sweet petals are edible as is the fruit, which can be eaten fresh or made into a jam.

Agastache 'Pink Pop'Origin **North America**

Compact growing Mexican perennial with pink flowers on top of small gray fragrant foliage. Average water. Full sun to part shade. 'Pink Pop' is a new selection which is very compact and doesn't flop.

Alstroemeria 'Prism' - Purple Rose

Peruvian Lily

Origin

Tuberous perennials from South America, hardy to 5 degrees. The clusters of flowers are prized for their long lasting qualities. Easy to grow, likes a rich well drained soil and a sunny location, or a little shade inland. This is a compact form with lavender purple flowers. Spring and fall.

Alyssum 'Easter Bonnet'

Origin

Common annuals, easy to grow. Often reseeds, naturalizing in gardens in Southern California. Low finely textured foliage, white lightly scented flowers. White is the most common, and easiest. 'Easter Bonnet' has a mixture or pastel shades.

Arbutus unedo compacta - multi trunk

Strawberry Tree

Origin **Mediterranean**

Evergreen tree to 12', white clusters of bell like flowers in the winter and spring followed by edible red fruit in the fall, highly ornamental. Beautiful bark and structure. Very drought tolerant, tolerates the coast well. Native to the Mediterranean.

Babiana stricta 'Purple'

Baboon Flower

Origin **S Africa**

South African corms, which are beautifully adapted to our Mediterranean climate. They have palm like foliage and spikes of purple bluish or white flowers in the spring. Can reseed after bloom. The corms go dormant in the summer, and can split at that time.

Calliandra Surinamensis

Pink and White Powderpuff

Origin

A South American evergreen large shrub or small tree, potentially to 20' tall. In frost free areas, it is an ideal specimen for year-round bloom. The powder puff-like blooms are pink tipped and white toward the center on an open vase shaded plant. Exceptional plant. Best in sun with regular water.

Carex texensis

Catlin Sedge

Origin

Great lawn substitute, dwarf & low , sun or part-shade.

Coleonema pulchella 'Golden Sunset'

Golden Breath of Heaven

Origin **Africa**

A dwarf low growing form of the more common Breath of Heaven shrub. Drought tolerant once established, looks great when planted in multiples. Will tolerate part shade, where the finely textured fragrant foliage glows.

Gaura lindheimeri 'Cinnamon Butterflies'Origin **America**

An easy to grow American native perennial, with numerous dark pink flowers on a narrow wand-like stem that moves in lightest breeze. Best in full sun, very drought tolerant once established. This form is compact with dark red foliage.

Geranium sanguineum striatum

Cranes Bill

Origin

Compact, low growing European perennial. Light pink flower with darker pink veining. Average water. Full sun to part shade. Foliage turns red in the autumn. Cut back to basal growth in late winter to keep tidy.

Hibiscus rosa-sinensis 'Hula Girl'

Origin

Evergreen tropical shrub. This hybrid is one of the best in San Diego, yellow flowers with a red center with a compact habit to 4'. Very long bloom season - almost all year. Best in full sun with good drainage.

Lonicera syringatha 'Grandi Flora'

Lilac Honeysuckle

Origin

An evergreen shabby form of honeysuckle. Lavender-pink, very fragrant flowers in the spring and summer. Grows to a potential 6'. Best in sun or part, average water and soil. Uncommon and desirable.

Nepeta amethystina lanciniata

Dwarf Catmint

Origin

A new very compact form of Catmint. Small gray foliage forms a tight mound with blue-violet branched inflorescence in the summer. A great addition to a small space. Full sun, easy to grow. (syn. Nepeta nepetella)

Origanum 'Betty Rollins'

Dwarf Oreganos

Origin **Mediterranean**

Very low growing cultivar of the culinary herb, selected in Los Angeles. It makes a beautiful mat of foliage, very nice between stepping stones adding a nice fragrance, with an added bonus of large pink flower clusters in the summer. Full sun or part shade, regular water and soil.

Origanum 'Happy Anniversary' (Variegated)

Ornamental Oreganos

Origin

A colorful form of the common herb with white variegated foliage, Fragrant foliage, sun or part shade. (syn. White Anniversary' & 'Wells Sweep')

Pelargonium 'Apple'

Apple Scented Geranium

Origin **Africa - South**

An green-apple scented Geranium. A South African plant, very drought tolerant, fragrance is released when brushed against. Likes full sun, not picky about soil or feeding.

Prunella incisa

Self Heal

Origin **Europe**

Ground hugging perennial, blooms non-stop with whorls of purple spikes. Interesting cut foliage. Species name from this tooth like quality (Incisor). Sun to partial shade, with occasional summer water.

Rhaphiolepis 'Majestic Beauty'

Hybrid Indian Hawthorn

Origin **Asia**

Easy to grow evergreen shrub 10' -15'. Full sun is best for bloom, will tolerate part shade, drought tolerant. A hybrid of *Rhaphiolepis* and *Eriobotrya* (Loquat). Large leaves and large fragrant pink flower clusters in the spring. Laces beautifully, the bark is attractive as is the structure.

Rhaphiolepis umbellata minor

Dwarf Indian Hawthorn

Origin **Japan**

A compact shrub with dark shiny foliage, with clusters of pure white flowers that tip the plant in the spring. Easy to keep under 3', naturally grows tall and narrow to a possible 6'

Salix matsudana x 'Scarlet Curls'

Scarlet Curly Willow

Origin **China**

A deciduous tree, with twisted branch structure. Frequently used in flower arrangements. Gets 20' or more in the landscape. This form has a reddish cast to the branches. If lit in the winter can cast beautiful shadows on structures. Roots easily, even in water. (S. m. 'Tortuosa' x cv. 'Scaruzam')

Salvia coccinea 'Hummingbird Coral Nymph'

Origin

An annual *Salvia*, which lives over as a perennial in San Diego. Grows 2'-3' tall with pink flowers spring, summer, and fall. Seed heads are a favorite of Goldfinches. Easy care plant. Self-sows.

Salvia urica

Blue Bush Sage

Origin **Mexico - Chiapas**

It has a compact habit 2'x2' with stunning cobalt blue flowers. It likes full sun the best, but will tolerate shadier spots, although it may go more off in the winter. Hardy to about 30 degrees. It comes from a warm & moist habitat, the mountain regions of Chiapas, Mexico.

Tabebuia impetiginosa (T. ipe)

Pink Trumpet Tree

Origin **Brazil**

A 30' tall deciduous tree, with an open 'V' structure. It bursts into bloom in spring with clusters of pink trumpets at tips during its brief dormancy, very drought tolerant. May takes several years to reach the size at which it will bloom well. Needs very little pruning. A great medium sized tree for the residential landscape.

Thymus drucei 'Minus'

Dwarf Trailing Thyme

Origin **Mediterranean**

Very compact, an almost moss-like thyme, easier to grow than most. Needs full sun and good drainage. Small pink flowers are produced in the summer.

Tulbagia fragrans alba

Fragrant Winter Tulbagia

Origin

An evergreen perennial with strap like foliage with a bluish cast, Flowering starts in the fall and continues until spring. A cluster of fragrant flower form on top of a narrow stalk. A great cut flower, most fragrant after 4:00 PM. This form is white.